

**COUNCIL AGENDA
CITY OF CARTHAGE, MISSOURI
TUESDAY, JANUARY 14, 2020
6:30 P.M. - COUNCIL CHAMBERS
AS AMENDED**

1. Call to Order

2. Invocation

3. Pledge of Allegiance to Flag

4. Calling of the Roll

5. Reading and Consideration of Minutes of Previous Meeting

6. Presentations/Proclamations

7. Public Comments

(Each person addressing the Council shall state their name and address or the organization or firm represented and is limited to no more than five (5) minutes. The time may be extended by the chair if deemed necessary. Once a person has had their say on a particular issue they are not permitted to once again speak on the issue unless called to answer any further questions by the Council or Chair)

8. Reports of Standing Committees

9. Reports from Special Committees and Board Liaisons

10. Report of the Mayor

11. Reports/Remarks of Councilmembers

(Each Councilmember is limited to no more than two (2) minutes. The time may be extended by the Chair if deemed necessary. Once a Councilmember has had their say on a particular issue they are not permitted to once again speak on the issue unless permitted by the Chair)

12. Administrative Reports

13. Report of Claims Presented Against the City

14. Public Hearings

- Public Hearing to be held on the 14th day of January, 2020 at 6:30 p.m., in the Council Chambers, at City Hall in Carthage, Missouri, concerning annexation of property generally known as: Three Tracts of Land Northwest of the Intersection of W. George E. Phelps Blvd. & Hazel Ave. Containing 107 Acres, More or Less.

15. Old Business

1. C.B. 19-49-An Ordinance to amend Section 23-160 {C}(6) of the Code of Carthage providing for the extension of a School zone within the City of Carthage, Missouri (Public Safety)

16. New Business

1. C.B. 19-50 - An Ordinance annexing certain adjacent territory into the City of Carthage, Jasper County, Missouri. (Planning, Zoning & Historic Preservation)
2. C.B. 20-01 - An ordinance of the City of Carthage, Missouri, imposing a use tax for general revenue purposes at the rate of two and three-quarters percent (2.75%) pursuant to the authority granted by and subject to the provisions of Sections 144.600 through 144.761 RSMo;

providing for the use tax to be repealed, reduced or raised in the same amount as any city sales tax is repealed, reduced or raised; and providing for submission of the proposal to the qualified voters of the City for their approval at the General Municipal election called and to be held in the City on, April 7, 2020. (Budget Committee)

17. Mayor's Appointments

- Police Personnel Administration Board
- Civil War Museum

18. Resolutions

19. Closing Comments

20. Executive Session

21 .Adjournment

PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES WHO NEED SPECIAL ASSISTANCE CALL 417-237-7000 (VOICE) OR 1-800-735-2466 (TDD VIA RELAY MISSOURI) AT LEAST 24 HOURS PRIOR TO MEETING

BILL NO. _____

ORDINANCE NO. _____

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF CARTHAGE, MISSOURI, IMPOSING A USE TAX FOR GENERAL REVENUE PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF TWO AND THREE-QUARTERS PERCENT (2.75%) PURSUANT TO THE AUTHORITY GRANTED BY AND SUBJECT TO THE PROVISIONS OF SECTIONS 144.600 THROUGH 144.761 RSMO; PROVIDING FOR THE USE TAX TO BE REPEALED, REDUCED OR RAISED IN THE SAME AMOUNT AS ANY CITY SALES TAX IS REPEALED, REDUCED OR RAISED; AND PROVIDING FOR SUBMISSION OF THE PROPOSAL TO THE QUALIFIED VOTERS OF THE CITY FOR THEIR APPROVAL AT THE GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION CALLED AND TO BE HELD IN THE CITY ON, APRIL 7, 2020.

WHEREAS, the City has imposed local sales taxes, as defined in Section 32.085 RSMo, at the rate of two and three-quarters percent (2.75%); and

WHEREAS, the City is authorized, under Section 144.757 RSMo, to impose a local use tax at a rate equal to the rate of the local sales taxes in effect in the City; and

WHEREAS, the proposed City use tax cannot become effective until approved by the voters at a municipal, county or state general, primary or special election;

NOW, THEREFORE, be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Carthage, Missouri, as follows:

Section 1. Pursuant to the authority granted by, and subject to, the provisions of Sections 144.600 through 144.761 RSMo, a use tax for general revenue purposes is imposed for the privilege of storing, using or consuming within the City any article of tangible personal property. This tax does not apply with respect to the storage, use or consumption of any article of tangible personal property purchased, produced or manufactured outside this state until the transportation of the article has finally come to rest within this City or until the article has become commingled with the general mass of property of this City.

Section 2. The rate of the tax shall be two and three-quarters percent (2.75 %). If any city sales tax is repealed or the rate thereof is reduced or raised by voter approval, the city use tax rate also shall be deemed to be repealed, reduced or raised by the same action repealing, reducing or raising the city sales tax.

Section 3. This tax shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the City of Carthage, Missouri, for their approval, as required by the provisions of Section 144.757 RSMo, at the General election hereby called and to be held in the City on Tuesday, the 7th day of April, 2020. The ballot of submission shall contain substantially the following language:

Shall the City of Carthage, Missouri impose a local use tax at the same rate as the total local sales tax rate, currently two and three-quarters percent (2.75%), provided that if the local sales tax rate is reduced or raised by voter approval, the local use tax rate shall also be reduced or raised by the same action? A use tax return shall not be required to be filed by persons whose

purchases from out-of-state vendors do not in total exceed two thousand dollars in any calendar year.

☐ Yes ☐ No

If you are in favor of the question, place an "X" in the box opposite "Yes." If you are opposed to the question, place an "X" in the box opposite "No."

Section 4. Within ten (10) days after the approval of this ordinance by the qualified voters of City of Carthage, Missouri, the City Clerk shall forward to the Director of Revenue of the State of Missouri by United States registered mail or certified mail, a certified copy of this ordinance together with certifications of the election returns and accompanied by a map of the City clearly showing the boundaries thereof.

Section 5. This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after the date of its passage and approval.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS __DAY OF _____, 2020.

Dan Rife, Mayor

ATTEST:

Traci Cox, City Clerk

Sponsored by: Budget Committee